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Mr. Samuel S. Waldo
Director of Environmental Affairs
Amphenol Corporation
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HRE-8J

Re: Administrative Order On Consent
dated November 27, 1990
Franklin Power Products Co./Amphenol Corporation
IND 044 587 848

Dear Mr. Waldo:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) has received your letter dated September 22, 1995, and the revised Corrective Measures Study (CMS) report (dated September 1995) submitted in accordance with the above referenced Administrative Order On Consent (AOC). U.S. EPA has reviewed the revised CMS report and hereby disapproves the report. Certain revisions that were called for in U.S. EPA's letter of August 15, 1995, were not satisfactorily addressed, specifically general comments 1,2,3,4,6, and specific comments 6,7,10,15,16,17. Most critically, general comment 3 was not properly addressed. This comment specified that a detailed discussion of a groundwater extraction system for the contaminated area at Forsythe Street (Operable Area 3) be provided. This discussion was not provided.

Paragraphs A. and B. of Attachment I of the above referenced AOC specify that the CMS develop and describe corrective measures alternatives for remediation of contamination that adequately address all site problems and corrective action objectives. Due to your failure to provide in the revised CMS report, sufficient remedy options for an area which has significant contamination, and failure to provide other revisions to the CMS report as specified by U.S. EPA, Respondents are deemed to be in noncompliance of the AOC. Thus, pursuant to Section XVII.1.c. of the AOC, Respondents are subject to stipulated penalties as provided therein and the penalties are accruing starting with the date of receipt of this letter, and will continue to accrue at the rate of \$500 per day for the first one to seven days, and \$1000 for each seven-day delay, or part thereof, until this matter is resolved.

To discuss this matter or to arrange a meeting, please call Bill Buller of my staff at (312) 886-4568.

Sincerely,

Paul Little, Chief
MI/WI Enforcement Section
Enforcement & Compliance Assurance Branch

cc: J. Michael Jarvis, Franklin Power Products
Michael Sickels, IDEM

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